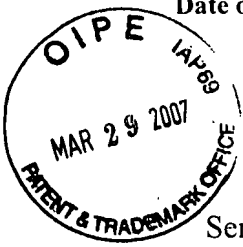


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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NOVEMBER 30, 2006 OFFICE ACTION**

This paper is in response to the November 30, 2006 Office Action in the above-identified application. Applicant also submits herewith a petition for a one month extension of time along with the required fee. With a one month extension of time, this response is due on or before March 30, 2007. Applicant also submits payment for one additional new dependent claim. Please charge any additional fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Reference No. 21486-056.

Prior to further examination of the above-identified patent application, please amend the application as set forth below and consider the following remarks.

**Amendments to the specification** are shown beginning on page 2.

**Amendments to the claims** are shown in the listing of claims beginning on page 3.

**Remarks** are shown beginning on page 6.

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